



# Trustees' Annual Report for the period

|      |    | Period start date |    |      |    |    | Period end date |    |      |
|------|----|-------------------|----|------|----|----|-----------------|----|------|
| From | 01 |                   | 01 | 2022 | To | 31 |                 | 12 | 2022 |
|      |    |                   |    |      |    |    |                 |    |      |

## Section A

## Reference and administration details

Charity name

Second Chance Akita Rescue

Other names charity is known by

SCAR

Registered charity number (if any)

1187521

Charity's principal address

42 Wesley Avenue

Halesowen

Postcode

B63 2PJ

### Names of the charity trustees who manage the charity

|    | Trustee name    | Office (if any) | Dates acted if not for whole year | Name of person (or body) entitled to appoint trustee (if any) |
|----|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------------------------|---|
| 1  | Teresa Prime    |                 |                                   |   |
| 2  | Gill Hurst      |                 | Jan 22 – Aug 22                   |   |
| 3  | Kevin Pritchard |                 |                                   |   |
| 4  | Alison Jones    |                 |                                   |   |
| 5  | Darren Farrand  |                 |                                   |   |
| 6  | Sue Bird        |                 | Apr 22                            |   |
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### Names of the trustees for the charity, if any, (for example, any custodian trustees)

| Name | Dates acted if not for whole year |
|------|-----------------------------------|
| N/A  |                                   |
|      |                                   |
|      |                                   |

**Names and addresses of advisers (Optional information)**

| Type of adviser | Name | Address |
|-----------------|------|---------|
| N/A             |      |         |
|                 |      |         |
|                 |      |         |
|                 |      |         |

**Name of chief executive or names of senior staff members (Optional information)**

Section B

Structure, governance and management

**Description of the charity's trusts**

|   |   |
|---|---|
| Type of governing document<br>(eg. trust deed, constitution)        | CIO                                     |
| How the charity is constituted<br>(eg. trust, association, company) | CIO                                     |
| Trustee selection methods<br>(eg. appointed by, elected by)         | Appointed by resolution of the trustees |

**Additional governance issues (Optional information)**

You may choose to include additional information, where relevant, about:

- policies and procedures adopted for the induction and training of trustees;
- the charity's organisational structure and any wider network with which the charity works;
- relationship with any related parties;
- trustees' consideration of major risks and the system and procedures to manage them.

Section C

Objectives and activities

**Summary of the objects of the charity set out in its governing document**

The main objectives and activities include the following;

- To alleviate the suffering of Akitas in need and provide assistance in their rescue and rehabilitation, regardless of their health, age or gender. We strive to ensure their well-being and improve the quality of life.
- Treat all Akitas with respect. Our organisation promotes a compassionate and caring approach towards these magnificent dogs.
- To provide advice, support and education, with the aim to empower individuals with knowledge and understanding regarding

**Summary of the main activities undertaken for the public benefit in relation to these objects (include within this section the statutory declaration that trustees have had regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit)**

- all matters related to the welfare of the Akita breed.
- Collaborate with like-minded organisation. By working together, we can amplify our efforts and create a stronger impact in advocating for the welfare of the breed.
  - Promote spaying/neutering, which in turn will positively impact the number of unwanted litters, thus preventing the challenges associated with irresponsible breeding

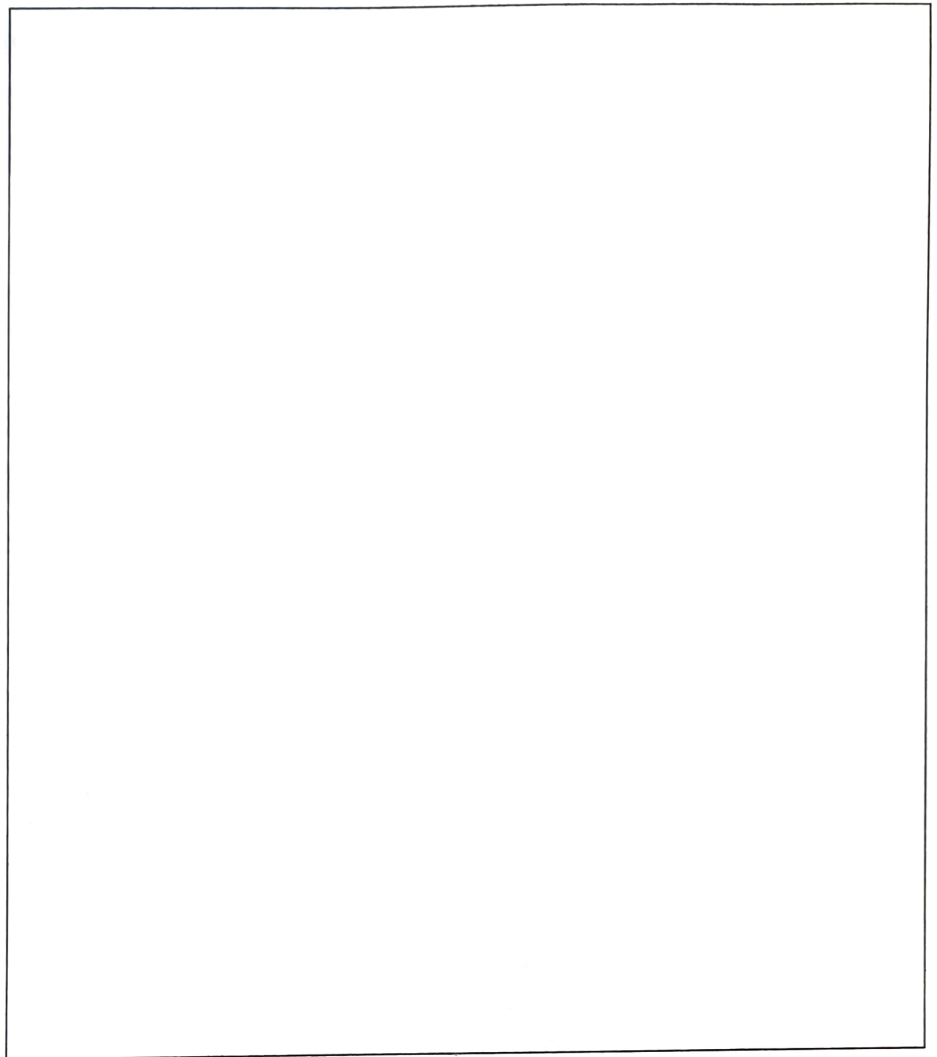
SCAR operates throughout the United Kingdom. Our organisation is dedicated to the welfare and rehoming of Akitas, and our main activities include:

1. Rehoming Akitas from private individuals: We work tirelessly to find loving and suitable homes for Akitas in need, offering them a second chance at a happy and fulfilling life.
2. Assisting in the rehoming of Akitas from other UK rescues: We collaborate with various reputable rescues, including Battersea Dogs Home and council pounds across the country, to facilitate the rehoming of Akitas under their care.
3. Conducting Akita temperament assessments: Our experienced team carries out thorough temperament assessments to ensure the well-being and compatibility of Akitas with potential adopters, promoting successful matches and long-term happiness.
4. Performing home assessments: We conduct comprehensive home assessments to ensure that potential adopters can provide a safe and suitable environment for an Akita. This process helps us make informed decisions and ensures the welfare of the dogs we rehome.
5. Providing lifetime support to adopters: We believe in offering ongoing support to our adopters, providing guidance and assistance throughout the lifetime of their adopted Akita. This commitment ensures that both the dog and the adopter have a strong support system in place.
6. Offering education and advice: We actively engage in educating both current and prospective Akita owners, providing valuable advice on responsible ownership, training, and general care. By sharing our knowledge, we aim to promote the well-being of Akitas and strengthen the bond between owners and their pets.

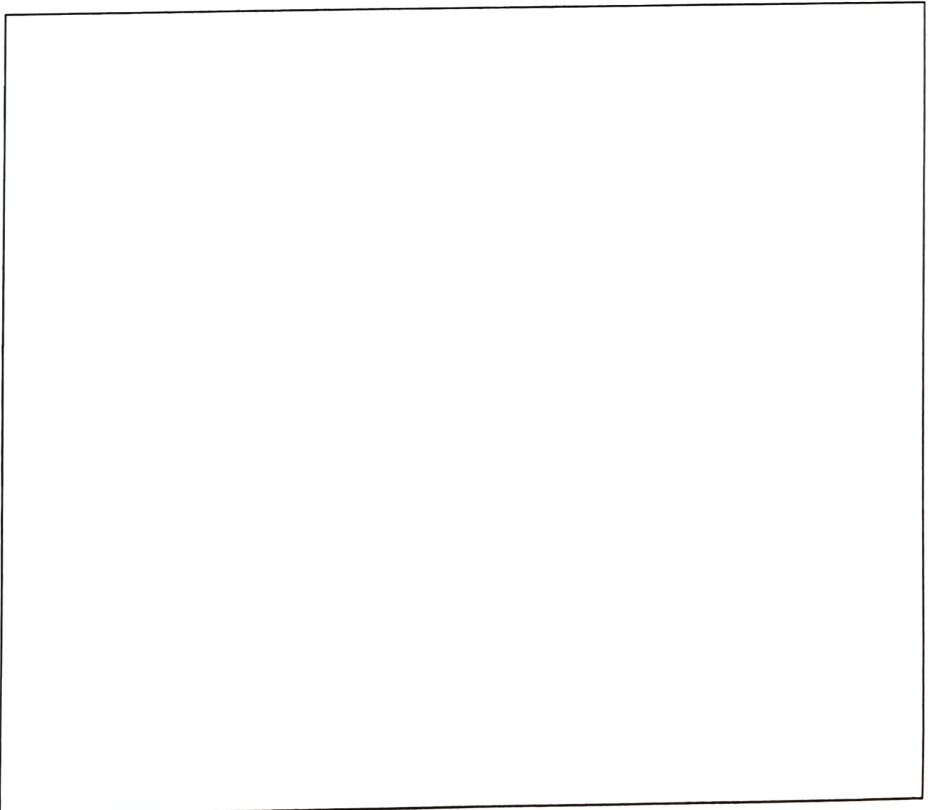
We have made significant progress in expanding our reach through various social media platforms and our website. This increased online presence has allowed SCAR to connect with a larger audience, enabling us to offer our services to a growing number of individuals. As a result, we have experienced a notable increase in inquiries and requests for advice, reflecting the trust and recognition we have gained within the community.

We are proud to mention that whenever possible, we strive to provide guidance and support to owners facing challenges, helping them find solutions that allow them to keep their beloved Akita as a cherished family pet, rather than resorting to surrendering them to rescue.

SCAR remains committed to our mission of rescuing, rehoming, and promoting the welfare of Akitas across the United Kingdom. We are grateful for the support we receive from our dedicated team, volunteers, and the general public, as we continue to make a positive impact in the lives of these wonderful dogs.



**Additional details of objectives and activities (Optional information)**



You **may choose** to include further statements, where relevant, about:

- policy on grantmaking;
- policy programme related investment;
- contribution made by volunteers.



**Summary of the main achievements of the charity during the year**

In 2022, Second Chance Akita Rescue successfully found loving homes for 30 Akitas. We are delighted to report that our presence on social media platforms has continued to expand, and a total revamp of our website has allowed us to reach and support a larger audience. This growth has been consistent year after year, enabling us to make a greater impact in the Akita community.

One of the core principles we uphold at Second Chance Akita Rescue is our unwavering commitment to helping Akitas regardless of their age, health, or behaviour. We take pride in being one of the few rescues that operate under this inclusive policy. This means that no Akita is dismissed or overlooked based on these factors, ensuring that every dog has an equal opportunity to find a forever home.

Furthermore, we provide ongoing support to our adopters, including access to behaviourist advice when needed. By offering this assistance, we aim to ensure a smooth transition for both the adopter and the Akita, reducing the likelihood of returns or rehoming. As a result, our return rates remain low, reflecting the effectiveness of our support system and the dedication of our team.

During 2022 Second Chance Akita Rescue also achieved full ADHC membership, thus showing our commitment to the high standard required to achieve this membership, and further building on our collaboration with other organisations for the benefit of the Akita Breed.

At Second Chance Akita Rescue, we are dedicated to making a positive difference in the lives of Akitas and their adopters. Through our commitment to inclusivity, support, and education, we strive to create successful and lasting matches that result in happy, fulfilled lives for both the dogs and their new families.

## Section E

## Financial review

### Brief statement of the charity's policy on reserves

We maintain our reserves at a level that guarantees our ability to provide for the dogs in our care and cover any unforeseen expenses that may arise.

### Details of any funds materially in deficit

None

### Further financial review details (Optional information)

You **may choose** to include additional information, where relevant about:

- the charity's principal sources of funds (including any fundraising);
- how expenditure has supported the key objectives of the charity;
- investment policy and objectives including any ethical investment policy adopted.

Second Chance Akita Rescue raises funds by means on online activities which includes raffles, merchandise sales, events, and donations.

All monies raised goes back into supporting the charity in achieving the charities objectives.

All volunteers and trustees are unpaid.

## Section F

## Other optional information

## Section G

## Declaration

The trustees declare that they have approved the trustees' report above.

### Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

Signature(s)



Full name(s)

Darren Farrand

Position (eg Secretary, Chair, etc)

Secretary

Date

29/10/23



CHARITY COMMISSION  
FOR ENGLAND AND WALES

Charity Name  
**Second Chance Akita Rescue**

No (if any)  
1187521

## Receipts and payments accounts

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For the period  
from

Period start date  
01/01/2022

To

Period end date  
31/12/2022

### Section A Receipts and payments

|   | Unrestricted funds | Restricted funds | Endowment funds  | Total funds      | Last year        |
|---|--------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|
|   | to the nearest £   | to the nearest £ | to the nearest £ | to the nearest £ | to the nearest £ |
| <b>A1 Receipts</b>                                    |                    |                  |                  |                  |                  |
| Donations & Fundraising                               | 25,766             | -                | -                | 25,766           | 17,682           |
| Other   | 10,000             | -                | -                | 10,000           | 10,065           |
|   | -                  | -                | -                | -                | -                |
|   | -                  | -                | -                | -                | -                |
|   | -                  | -                | -                | -                | -                |
|   | -                  | -                | -                | -                | -                |
|   | -                  | -                | -                | -                | -                |
| <i>Sub total (Gross income for AR)</i>                | 35,766             | -                | -                | 35,766           | 27,747           |
| <b>A2 Asset and investment sales, (see table).</b>    |                    |                  |                  |                  |                  |
|   | -                  | -                | -                | -                | -                |
| <i>Sub total</i>                                      | -                  | -                | -                | -                | -                |
| <b>Total receipts</b>                                 | 35,766             | -                | -                | 35,766           | 27,747           |
| <b>A3 Payments</b>                                    |                    |                  |                  |                  |                  |
| Kennel Fees   | 15,783             | -                | -                | 15,783           | 8,716            |
| Vet Fees & Medication                                 | 8,837              | -                | -                | 8,837            | 5,559            |
| Fundraising Costs                                     | 1,826              | -                | -                | 1,826            | 1,080            |
| Paypal & Bank Fees                                    | 29                 | -                | -                | 29               | 57               |
| Publicity   | 92                 | -                | -                | 92               | 30               |
| Admin   | 890                | -                | -                | 890              | 821              |
| Travel  | 589                | -                | -                | 589              | 70               |
| Foster Costs  | -                  | -                | -                | -                | 192              |
| Other   | 1,533              | -                | -                | 1,533            | 3,142            |
| <i>Sub total</i>                                      | 29,579             | -                | -                | 29,579           | 19,667           |
| <b>A4 Asset and investment purchases, (see table)</b> |                    |                  |                  |                  |                  |
|   | -                  | -                | -                | -                | -                |
| <i>Sub total</i>                                      | -                  | -                | -                | -                | -                |
| <b>Total payments</b>                                 | 29,579             | -                | -                | 29,579           | 19,667           |
| <b>Net of receipts/(payments)</b>                     | 6,187              | -                | -                | 6,187            | 8,080            |
| <b>A5 Transfers between funds</b>                     | -                  | -                | -                | -                | -                |
| <b>A6 Cash funds last year end</b>                    | 19,730             | -                | -                | 19,730           | 11,650           |
| <b>Cash funds this year end</b>                       | 25,917             | -                | -                | 25,917           | 19,730           |

Section B Statement of assets and liabilities at the end of the period


| Categories    | Details  | Unrestricted funds<br>to nearest £ | Restricted funds<br>to nearest £ | Endowment funds<br>to nearest £ |
|---------------|--|------------------------------------|----------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| B1 Cash funds | Bank Account   | 25,718                             | -                                | 19,128                          |
|               | PayPal Account   | 198                                | -                                | 602                             |
|               |  | -                                  | -                                | -                               |
|               | <b>Total cash funds</b>                                | 25,916                             | -                                | 19,730                          |
|               | (agree balances with receipts and payments account(s)) | Agreement Error                    | OK                               | Agreement Error                 |

|                          | Details | Unrestricted funds<br>to nearest £ | Restricted funds<br>to nearest £ | Endowment funds<br>to nearest £ |
|--------------------------|---------|------------------------------------|----------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| B2 Other monetary assets |         | -                                  | -                                | -                               |
|                          |         | -                                  | -                                | -                               |
|                          |         | -                                  | -                                | -                               |
|                          |         | -                                  | -                                | -                               |
|                          |         | -                                  | -                                | -                               |
|                          |         | -                                  | -                                | -                               |
|                          |         | -                                  | -                                | -                               |

|                      | Details | Fund to which asset belongs | Cost (optional) | Current value (optional) |
|----------------------|---------|-----------------------------|-----------------|--------------------------|
| B3 Investment assets |         |                             | -               | -                        |
|                      |         |                             | -               | -                        |
|                      |         |                             | -               | -                        |
|                      |         |                             | -               | -                        |
|                      |         |                             | -               | -                        |

|  | Details | Fund to which asset belongs | Cost (optional) | Current value (optional) |
|--|---------|-----------------------------|-----------------|--------------------------|
| B4 Assets retained for the charity's own use |         |                             | -               | -                        |
|  |         |                             | -               | -                        |
|  |         |                             | -               | -                        |
|  |         |                             | -               | -                        |
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|  |         |                             | -               | -                        |
|  |         |                             | -               | -                        |
|  |         |                             | -               | -                        |

|                | Details | Fund to which liability relates | Amount due (optional) | When due (optional) |
|----------------|---------|---------------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------|
| B5 Liabilities |         |                                 | -                     |                     |
|                |         |                                 | -                     |                     |
|                |         |                                 | -                     |                     |
|                |         |                                 | -                     |                     |
|                |         |                                 | -                     |                     |

|   |   |                 |                  |
|---|---|-----------------|------------------|
| Signed by one or two trustees on behalf of all the trustees | Signature   | Print Name      | Date of approval |
|   |  | DARREN FARRAND. | 1/10/23          |





CHARITY COMMISSION  
FOR ENGLAND AND WALES

Independent examiner's report  
on the accounts

Section A

Independent Examiner's Report

Report to the trustees/  
members of

Charity Name

Second Chance Aulua Rescue

On accounts for the year  
ended

2022

Charity no  
(if any)

Set out on pages

(remember to include the page numbers of additional sheets)

Responsibilities and basis  
of report

I report to the trustees on my examination of the  
accounts of the above charity ("the Trust") for the year  
ended 31/12/2022.

As the charity trustees of the Trust, you are responsible  
for the preparation of the accounts in accordance with the  
requirements of the Charities Act 2011 ("the Act").

I report in respect of my examination of the Trust's  
accounts carried out under section 145 of the 2011 Act  
and in carrying out my examination, I have followed the  
applicable Directions given by the Charity Commission  
under section 145(5)(b) of the Act.

Independent examiner's  
statement

I have completed my examination. I confirm that no  
material matters have come to my attention (other than  
that disclosed below \*) in connection with the  
examination which gives me cause to believe that in, any  
material respect:

- accounting records were not kept in accordance with  
section 130 of the Act or
- the accounts do not accord with the accounting  
records

I have no concerns and have come across no other  
matters in connection with the examination to which  
attention should be drawn in order to enable a proper  
understanding of the accounts to be reached.

\* Please delete the words in the brackets if they do not  
apply.

Signed:

Date:

19/10/2023

Name:

Asmara

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Relevant professional  
qualification(s) or body (if  
any):

Address:

149 Gould

Street

AYR

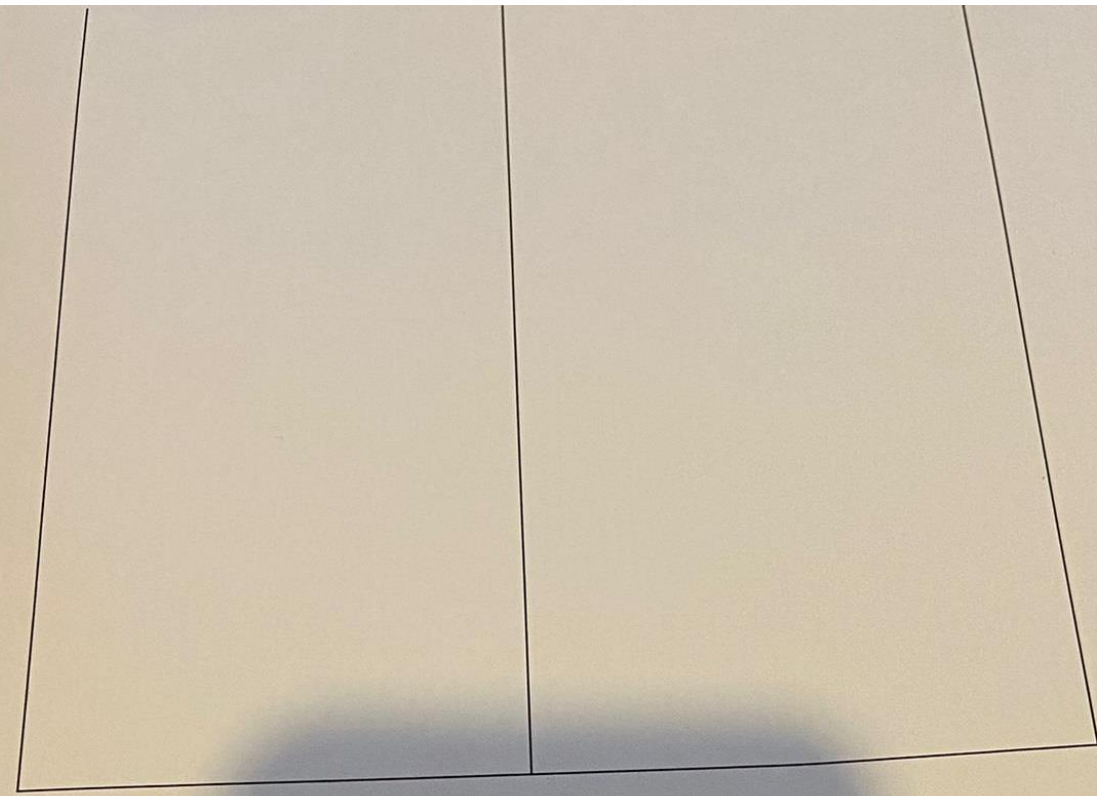
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Section B

Disclosure

Only complete if the examiner needs to highlight matters  
of concern (see CC32, Independent examination of  
charity accounts: directions and guidance for examiners).

Give here brief details of  
items that the  
examiner wishes to  
lose.



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October 2018